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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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Title: METHOD FOR THE OPERATION OF A TECHNICAL SYSTEM

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Sir:

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

This Reply is in response to the Office Communication dated as mailed July 22, 2008.  
Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

For the convenience of the reader a listing of claims including their present status is provided beginning on page 2 of this paper.

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